



Event Name: Unity Day at Woodlawn - June 2017

Event Location: Woodlawn Senior Center

Number of seniors expected/ attended: 50 + members and Programming Committee)

Brief Description/Announcement: Woodlawn Senior Center would celebrate Mother's Day in May and Father's Day in June at the center. During the month of May there would be acknowledgement of all mothers in the center with a luncheon provided and each women would receive a carnation. During the month of June, fathers in the center would be acknowledged and would receive a boutonniere and luncheon. Entertainment provided at both occasions. Also the program included poems and passages read by programming committer to honor the participants. Unfortunately at times scheduling programs separately was recognized. It was decided by the programming committee to combine the two occasions and title the program "Unity Day' which meant to bring together the recognition of both Mothers and Fathers in unity. The audience would also be involved to engage in the program by offering matters of the heart toward loved ones and other living relatives. This program became so special that it has been offered yearly since May-June 2013.

Interviews/stories/participant feedback: At this point and time the feedback from this event has been very rewarding. Members will inquire about the program before the months arrive. Overall it has been very successful at Woodlawn.

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